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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Andrew M. Stronach      Examiner: Thomasson, Meagan  
Serial No. 10/009,828      Group Art Unit: 3714  
Filed: July 7, 2002      Docket No. 311.050US1  
Title: WAGERING SYSTEM

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**The following documents are hereby submitted:**


- ☒ Amendment and Response After Final Rejection (9 pages)
- ☒ Transmittal Sheet
- ☒ Return postcard

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(2) Highest Number of Claims Previously Paid For	(3) Present Extra	Rate	Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	13	-	20	0	x 25.00 =	\$00.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	-	3	0	X 100.00 =	\$00.00
[ ] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED						\$00.00
TOTAL						\$00.00

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the **FINAL** Office Action mailed on August 2, 2006.

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